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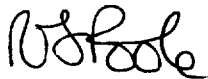
Dear Mr Jaffe

I have just read an extremely disturbing article which went into detail about the forced molting of hens within Factory Farming. What I read about the farms was absolutely horrifying and even more distressing were the pictures of the treatment of little hens.

I cannot believe, as we approach the second millenium, that these kinds of barbaric acts are allowed to continue in your country. I find this morally reprehensible, especially in a nation which has always preached the ethics of freedom and humane rights for all.

Please note that I support the petition to ban the forced molting of hens; please use your influence to end this indefencible suffering.

Yours sincerely



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